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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re application of

Hiroshi MURAKAMI, et al.

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For: TRANSGENIC MAMMALS



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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 24, 2000, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1-7 as follow:

Kindly cancel claims 4 and 5.

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1. (Amended) A transgenic non-human mammal [Transgenic mammals other than man carrying] comprising a gene of a human complement inhibitor (DAF/CD55) and a promoter, of the porcine complement inhibitor (PMCP), defined by Sequence ID No. 1 or a part thereof, at an upstream locus, said promoter promoting expression of the human complement inhibitor (DAF/CD55), and said mammal expressing the human complement inhibitor in [their] an organ or tissue [organs and tissues].

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